

## **JAG KY**

## **Specialist Profile**

The JAG KY Specialist must be a Certified Teacher or have the ability to secure an Adjunct Certification through the Kentucky Department of Education. They must also meet the minimum requirements listed in the JAG Specialist Job Description.

- o Bachelor's degree in education, social service, counseling, business, or a related discipline
- o Experience working with students and a knowledge of adolescent behaviors
- O Ability and interest to work 12 months per year
- O Ability to support curriculum instruction, projects and/or other educational opportunities consistent with the goals of the program
- Working knowledge of basic computer applications such as word processing, Excel, and electronic data tracking, using the Internet-based Electronic National Data Management System (e-NDMS)

In addition, candidates must express a deep desire to assist at-risk youth and their families in Kentucky. Due to the diverse responsibilities of the role we have found that professionals who come to the position with experience in three major areas can excel as Specialist.



- Coaches
- Teachers
- Case Managers
- Social Workers
- Juvenile
   Detention/Probation
   Officers
- Youth Ministers
- Community Program
   Directors (Boys and Girls Club, etc.)

## Resources

The JAG Specialist Handbook (Jobs for America's Graduates: Alexandria, VA), 2011